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**RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR RULEMAKING**

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**Agency Name:** Board of Dentistry, Department of Health Professions

**Chapters affected:**

VAC No. (e.g., 4 VAC 20-490):	Chapter Name (e.g., Regulations Pertaining to Sharks):
18 VAC 60-20	Regulations Governing the Practice of Dentistry and Dental Hygiene

**Statutory Authority:** 54.1-2400 and 54.1-2729 of the Code of Virginia

**Name of petitioner:** Eric Reale of the American Safety & Health Institute

**Nature of petitioner's request:** To amend section 50 on continuing education to approve the American Safety & Health Institute as a provider of Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) to dental personnel, as its programs adhere to the same guidelines as those of the American Heart Association and the American Red Cross for its programs.

**INITIAL AGENCY NOTICE**

**Agency's plan for disposition of the request:** The Board will consider the petition at its meeting on September 12, 2003. The petition may also be considered as comment on proposed regulations when the Board receives permission to publish its proposal and send it out for public comment.

**Comments may be submitted until** August 5, 2003

**AGENCY DECISION**

☒ Request Granted

☐ Request Denied

**Statement of reasons for decision:** The Board has approved the American Safety & Health Institute as a provider for continuing education. It will also consider the petition as a comment on proposed regulations during the 60-day comment period and may act to add the Institute to the listing of approved providers in regulation.

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